CHICAGO MEN MADE THREATS.

Candidates for the Place Left Va cant When Judge Allen Died Are Many-A Belleville Man's Activity.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Springfield, Ill., Jan. 29.-The Legislature accomplished little to-day, but the Republicans are getting together on apportionment schemes, and with the gerrymanders out of the way, there will be smooth salling and a short session.

The successor to Judge W. J. Allen of the United States District Court is food for gossip among members and lawyers. Judges Harker and Vickers of Darkest Egypt, are both here and both are candidates. General Horace S. Clark of Muttoon is pushing his claims for all he is worth, and Clinton L. Conkling and J. Oils Humphrey of Springfield, are avowed candidates. Representative A. G. Crawford of Pittsfield is studying the situation closely

and may decide to enter.
It is plain to me that Mr. Humphrey, who is the present United States District Attorney, stands far the best show for Sena-tor Cullom's indersement, and if President McKinley harkens to the senatorial re-quest, there will be a vacancy in the Dis-trict Attorney's office, and Mr. Humphrey will be advanced to the bench.

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Apportionment held attention of the Legislature as soon as House and Senate adjourned this morning. From present appearances there will be a joint Republican caucus held to-morrow or next day. At this meeting it will be decided that Cook County shall have ten Congressmen and nineteen senatornal districts. The country members were frightened at the threats of Cook County's Indians to defeat apportionment bills, and they have made a virtue of necessity and gracefully concede all the demands.

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The House Committee on Senatorial Apporticisment this afternoon listened to a pacine speech of Chairman Bundy, who begged for a spirit of compromise in the members. The chair was suthorized to appoint a subcommittee of eight, five from the country and three from Chicago, to draft a senatorial gerrymander, and Chairman Bundy promised to announce the committee in the morning.

The Congressional Apportionment Committee, with Chairman Scrogin presiding, took practically the same action. The dove of peace and conciliation was so prominent a feature that all the business was transacted in the way of suggestions.

"I would suggest," said Mr. Troutman, at the start, "that Cook and Lake counties be given ten districts." And nobody dared make a motion for fear of giving offense. The subcommittee to draft a map is to consist of nine-six from the country and three from Chicago, and Mr. Scrogin said he would appoint it in the morning.

"We would like to know," said Mr. Crafts, "what representation the Democrats are to have in this subcommittee."

"I am afraid," said Mr. Scrogin, "that you will be without representation."

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Representative Cole has mapped out a plan for the apportionment outside of Cook Country which will give the Republicans all but three of the country districts. Mr. Cole's plan is designed as a sort of basis for the members to figure on, and is not submitted with the notion that it will be adopted as a final apportionment. His map throws Will and Du Page counties with Cook, and gives to this district ten Congressmen. The remaining districts are made up as follows:

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-19.347 Republican.
Joe Daviess, Stephenson, Winnebago,
Carroll, Ogle and Lee-14.698 Republican.
Bock Island. Whiteside, Henry, Bureau
and Stark-18.257 Republican.
Kendall, Grundy, Lasalle, Marshall, Putnam and Woodford-7.079 Republican.
Knox, Fulton, Peoria and Tazewell-6.242
Republican.
Mercer, Henderson, Warren, McDonough,
Hanbock and Adams-2.184 Republican.
Livingston, Ford, McLean, DeWitt and
Logan-6.204 Republican.
Kankskee, Iroquots, Vermilion, Edgar and
Clark-8.249 Republican.
Macon, Piatt, Moulitrie, Coles, Douglas and
Champaign-4,523 Republican.
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Macon, Piatt, Monitrie, Coles, Douglas and
Champaign—4,822 Republican.
Mason, Menard, Bangamon, Christian,
Montgomery and Shelby—3,351 Democratic.
Schuyler, Brown, Cass, Morgan, Scott,
Pike, Green, Calhoun, Jersey and Macoupin
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Madison, Bond, St. Chair, Monroe and Washington—1,537 Republican.

Jefferson, Clinton, Marion, Fayette, Effingham, Cumberland, Jasper, Richland, Lawrence and Crawford—4,550 Democratic.

Massac, Johnson, Pope, Hardin, Gallatin, Saline, Hamilton, White, Wabash, Edwards, Wayne and Clay—1,514 Republican.

Randolph, Perry, Franklin, Williamson, Jackson, Union, Alexander and Pulaski—1,566 Republican.

Two propositions have been made regarding the disposition of the countles surrounding Alexander, relating to Senatorial districts. One proposes a district consisting of Williamson, Union, Alexander and Pulaski, in which Senator Burnett will be the holdover. This will throw Johnson, Massac, Saline, Pope and Hamilton together, and will make a third district of Jackson, Randolph and Washington. Another plan puts Alexander County into a district with Union, Johnson, Pulaski and Massac, and throws Williamson, Franklin, Baline and Pope together. The third district will, as in the other case, consist of Jackson, Randolph and Washington.

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The feature of the House proceedings was consideration of the resolution of Mr. Nohe to investigate wrecks on the Chicago and Alton Railroad. There were several roll calls and the matter was referred to the Raillroad Committee by a large majority. At the sugestion of Speaker Sherman, however, Mr. Crafts gave notice of a motion to reconsider, and the chances are the resolution will be tabled to-morrow.

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Mr. Curtis in the House offered a joint resolution to submit the question of a constitutional convention to a vote of the people at the election in November next year. The Democrats opposed immediate consideration and defeated a motion to suspend the rules for the purpose of acting on the proposition. The year were \$6 and the nays \$6, not the necessary two-thirds in the affirmative. It was a party vote except that Hunter of Winnebago, Onion and Osgood (Reps.), voted nay.

Charles W. Thomas of Beileville and W. G. Cochran of Sullivan turned up to-night as candidates for United States Judge, to succeed the late Judge Allen, and Mr. Thomas scooted to Washington to talk the matter over with Senator Cullom. As the Themas family is well provided for now, it is believed Mr. Thomas might exhibit a little rodesty. No stock is taken in the rumor that Senator Cullom promised the place during the senatorial struggle.

A big delegation came up from Madison County to ask for the appointment of E. A. Keller, an Edwardsville hardware merchant, as Commissioner of the Chester Penlientiary. Among others were former Speriff Burke, Circuit Clerk Springer, County Ulerk Rinaker, Colonel Kinne and County Recorder Kueineman.

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C. N. Travous has an aspiration of some kind, and the Keller movement will stop it. The Madison County contingent say the fight is between Henry Bader of East St. Louis and Keller, and concede that Bader's pull is the strongest, so far as legislative influence counts. Charley Burton came up with them to sttend Judge Allen's funeral. Governor Yates did not fall on the necks of the delegation when it appeared; nor did he invite the members to dine with him at the mansion. His greeting was somewhat toy.

J. L. PICKERING.

Pantor Accepts a Call.

REFULIAC SPECIAL
Knobhoster, Mo., Jan. 28.—The Reverend
Mr. White, pastor of the Presbyterian
Church of this city, has accepted a call to
the pastorate of the First Presbyterian
Church at Appleton City, Mo.

CLEAN-UP! See This Evening's Papers.

BLANCHE JOHNSON, WHO RAN AWAY, NOW A BRIDE.

Married to Albert Thacker After Long-Continued Quest for a License.

IS SIXTEEN YEARS OLD.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday afternoon to Albert Thacker and Miss Blanche Johnson, and they were married a The bride is the young woman who, on January 22, ran away from the home of Mrs. Charles Stoetling of No. 2441 Ohio avenue, where she was temporarily staying awaiting employment by friends of Mrs. Stoetling the story of the sto

The girl is not yet 16 years old, and was a ward of the Children's Home Society of Missouri, No. 255 Lawton avenue. Because of her youth the society withheld its consent to her marriage to Mr. Thacker,

but the latter was not discouraged, and in company with Miss Johnson went to Belle-ville, Ili., and Waterloo, Ili., in quest of a license. He was unable to procure one, however, and returned to St. Louis. The Reverend Christian C. Stahman, su-perintendent of the Children's Home Soclety, yesterday decided that, in order to save the young woman further unpleasant notoriety, the society would give its con-sent to the match. Mr. Thacker met Miss Johnson at the home of Mrs. Stoetling only

n few weeks ago, but was so deeply im-pressed with her appearance that he re-solved to make her his wife,



BLANCHE JOHNSON, Who obtained a Beense to marry Albert Thacker. She is not yet 16 years old.

She came to St. Louis last August from Trenton, Mo., where her parents, both of whom are now dead, formerly resided. Mr. Thacker has been in St. Louis about eight months, having come here from Arkansas, where it is said he owns a large farm. Mr. and Mrs. Thacker have made their home at No. 1217 Chouteau avenue.

an inquest, the skeleton was that of a man about 5 feet 6 inches tall, and about 50 years old. Doctor Armstrong says that the body must have lain there for eight or nine months. The manner in which the weeds and brush were beaten down around the body indicated that there must have been a

only 5 feet 5 inches.

Doctor Armstrong thinks the dead man was a negro. This led some to believe that it was the body of James Lewis, who shot and killed William Hern in a fight at Ball-win last August. Lewis took refuge in the

The Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company began suit yesterday against Edward C. Smith and the Ladles of the Sacred Heart to have a claim of \$7,000 declared a Heart to have a claim of \$1,000 declared a lien against the property of the Sacred Heart Convent on siaryland avenue. The sult is an echo of the famous Hammond heirs litigation, which occupied the attention of the courts for several years. The contest was between the heirs of \$8 ambel Hammond and Peter Lindell for possession of about sixty acres of land in the West End, in what is now one of the most fashionable residence districts in the city. The Lindell heirs finally won in a test case which was taken to the Supreme Court of the United States.

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While the litigation was pending, however, a compromise was made as to some of the property, and it is in consequence of this that the present suit was brought, it is stated.

The action is based on an agreement alleged to have been entered into February I, 1874, between Edward C, Smith and James L. D. Morrison with Mrs. Mary A. Washington of Macon, Gs., one of the Hammond heirs. It is stated that Smith and Morrison bought, conditionally, two-thirds of Mrs. Washington's interest in the claim and also bought the interest of other Hammond claimants.

Under the alleged compromise, Smith is said to have ascured about three acres of land. Under an agreement between him and Morrison, Smith is said to have assumed responsibility for settling with Mrs. Washington was ended, it is stated, Mrs. Washington's claim, which was never paid, it is ulleged, was assigned to the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company. The Laddes of the Sacred Heart acquired title through Smith, it is stated, and it is sought to have their property made subject to the claim. Attorneys J. S. Dobbins and John W. Dryden represent the plaintiff in the suit.

AN EVENING OF MIXED TOPICS. Republican Club Platform and Slavery Question.

The citizens' meeting, called by John T. Wilson, chairman of the Municipal Ownership party, to discuss pending problems of Interest in municipal affairs, 'took place last evening, and, from a numerical point of view, was a biting frost. Though the circulars announced that Zach W. Tinker and Nicholas M. Bell positively would speak, when the meeting was called to order there were only forty-three men in the room, which number was augmented to sixty-five as the meeting progressed.

Neither Tinker nor Bell spoke. Colonel Bell was present, but he occupied a seat in the rear of the room, from which he never moved during the meeting. Mr. Tinker was not present, but sent a letter expressing his regrets. The letter was dated, "Tinker Headquarters, January 29." Among other things, he said:

"Heplying to your inquiry of the 24th instant as to my position on the issues embraced in your platform, can say I most heartily indorse them, and believe their practical application in our municipal affairs will redound to the benefit of all the people."

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Others from whom letters were received were: W. H. Woodward, Given Campbell, F. M. Crunden and General Leo Rassieur. All expressed their thanks for the honor of being asked for their views, and some heartily indersed the platform of the party, while others refrained from giving any expressions on the ground that they are not candidates for any public office. Among this number were Given Campbell, W. H. Woodward and General Rassieur.

The meeting was called to order by John T. Wilson. After a short introductory speech he announced that Doctor W. C. Cook would preside at the meeting. Doctor Cook spoke briefly on the principles of the party, claiming that until they were generally introduced the people would never come into their own. Albert B. Greene was the next speaker. Mr. Greene is a member of the School Board and also of the Good Government Republican League Club. Most of his speech was devoted to an outline of the objects of the latter or-

SKELETON FOUND

NEAR RIVER BANK.

Creve Coeur Residents Excited Over Discovery—Jury Thinks

Murder Was Done.

Residents in the vicinity of Creve Coeur Lake, St. Louis County, are considerably excited over the discovery of a skeleton about 26 yards east of the banks of the Missouri River yesterday morning by William Wallace.

According to Coroner Armstrong, who held an inquest, the skeleton was that of a man about 5 feet 6 inches toll and depart of the Municipal Ownership of public utilities and the numerous other questions upon which they are at issue. Those who know both disputants expect to see the "fur fly" when the joint debate takes place, if it ever does.

MEETING INDORSED WELLS. And This After Tinker and Kelly Had

At a meeting last night of Democrats of 2726 South Grand avenue, which is only of few blocks from Zach W. Tinker's res

body indicated that there must have been a terrible struggle before the man met his death.

One witness suggested that the body might be that of Joseph Anderson, who mysteriously disappeared from the Creve Coeur Lake neighborhood last August, Anderson killed Lincoln Smith in a saloon fight at Gumbo ten years ago and afterwards served a term in the Penitentiary. When he returned he found his daughter living with a family in Franklin County. Anderson made arrangements with Doctor Caster at Clayton to take the girl. This was the last that has been heard of him.

But the Anderson theory was exploded when Doctor Armstrong began to compare physical measurements. Anderson was 6 feet I inch in neight, while the skeleton was only 5 feet 5 inches.

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MEETING OF TINKER MEN.

A meeting was held last night at the Tin-ker headquarters in the Columbia Theater building. Charles F. Kelly presided. Frank R. Tate threatened dire things for those who stepped in front of the Tirker ice vagen. Colorel Tate was in fine fettle, so far as his oratorical powers were concerned. He invited the faithful to the front of the platform, where they were permitted to touch the hand of Mr. Tinker. This performance over, each was presented with a lithograph likeness of Mr. Tinker.

Colonel Tom Barrett occupied a position in the wings. He came in late. Once, when a bibulous spectator attempted to raise three cheers for Mr. Tinker, Colonel Barrett hustled him to one side and remarked that he needn't mind raising any disturbance. The joyous gent subsided with a crestfallen air and looked wonderingly around to see if he had really made a mistake and had fallen into a funeral. R. Tate threatened dire things for those

Indorsed Rolls Wells The Democrats of the Twenty-sixth Ward met last night at Bock's Hall, No. 413 Easton avenue, indorsed the Wells in delegation to be voted for in the primaries and instructed them to vote for Wells in the convention. James T. Brennan was also unanimously inforsed for the House of Delegates from the ward. About 200 were present.

READY FOR MEMORIAL SERVICE. Caledonian Society Arranges for

Meeting at the Odeon. The committee of the Caledonian Society, which has in charge the arrangements for the memorial services to take place next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in honor of

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in honor of Queen Victoria, decided last night that the services would be held at the Odeon.

All the foreign Consuls in St. Louis will be present. The boxes have been reserved by prominent Britons now residents of St. Louis. Since the announcement of the memorial services, applications for seats have been so heavy that it was deemed prudent by the committee to reserve a small number of seats for which a nominal fee will be charged.

W. M. Porteous will have charge of the music, which will be furnished by a male quartet and Organist McIntyre of Second Baptist Church. The committee, which met in the parlors of the Mercantile Club, selected as speakers the Hight Reverend Bishop D. S. Tuttle, the Reverend Doctor W. W. Boyd, Habbi Leon Harrison and General George H. Shields.

The Odeon will be decorated with British flags and purple and black bunting. Flowers in profusion will be used for stage decoration.

The Sons of St. George, in full regalia.

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The Sons of St. George, in full regalia and other societies will attend the service in a body. Resolutions of respect will be passed at the meeting and cabled to the royal family in England.

ANGLO-GERMAN ALLIANCE.

Belief at Vienna That a Secre Treaty Exists.

Jan. 29 .- (Copyright, 1901, by the New York Herald Company)—Extraordi-nary significance is attached by the Triple Alliance to present events in England King Edward's speech to the Kalser is regarded as evidence of a lasting Anglo-German understanding. It is not thought impossible that a treaty has been concluded between England and Germany, which, owing to the coolness of a large section of the German people, is being withheld for the present.

Western Arrivals at New York. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Jan 29.—Hotel arrivals to-day include the following visitors from the West. include the following visitors from the West:

St. Louis-G. G. Powell, F. M. Steer, Waldorf, T. S. O'Brien, L. K. Quinn, Broadway Central, W. F. Donovan, M. Shaughnessy, Holland, A. Glaser, Savoy; E. F. Macey, Astor; O. M. Wilson, Vendome; N. Frank, Hoffman; W. H. Woodward, Imperial; J. Eggleston, St. Denis; E. A. Faust, Glisey,

Kansas City-J. L. Abernathy, Fifth Avenue; O. D. Clark, Broadway Central Kansas City-J. L. Abernathy, Fifth Ave-nue: O. D. Clark, Broadway Central, St. Joseph-D. P. Payae, Mariborough; J. H. McCord. Plaza. Springfield, Lit.-Miss M. A. Linch, Gilsey. Rheumatism, more painful in this climate than any other affliction, cured by prescription No. 2851, by Elmer & Amend.

NEW JERSEY JUSTICE AVENGES MILL GIRL.

McAlister, Campbell and Death Get Thirty Years Each for Murder of Jennie Bosschieter.

KERR GIVEN FIFTEEN YEARS. CASE FROM PHELPS COUNTY.

Highest Penalty the Law Allows Pronounced in Each Case-Judge Does Not Spare Prisoners.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, Jun. 29.-In the dingy old ourtroom in Paterson, N. J., to-day was enacted the final scene in the Jennie Bosschleter tragedy and trial when Judge Dixon meted out to each of the quartet of prisoners summoned before him the heaviest punishment permitted by law.

Inteparable in the penalty, as in the crime and in the defense made against its conse quences, Walter McAllister, Andrew Camp bell and William Death were sentenced to thirty years' hard labor in State prison. George J. Kerr, whose plea of "non vult" was a practical admission of his complicity in the attack on the mill girl, received the maximum penalty of fifteen years. Judge Dixon's address to the men, in

passing sentence, was most impressive. "You killed Jennie Bosschieter," he said, pointing his finger at the four men. "The penalty for that crime is death. By the leniancy of the jury you three (pointing to Death, Campbell and McAllister) were con-victed of murder in the second degree. No further leniency can be asked."

PRISONER HIDES HIS NAME. 'Mysterious Jimmy" in Jail at Belleville.

Belleville police officials have a mysterius character on their hands, who refuses to divulge his name or residence, although he hints at relatives who are well off in this world's goods.

He says the police may call him "James, the Unknown." or "Mysterious Jimmy," just as they please, but he positively re-fuses to divulge his name. It is suspected by some people that "Jimmy" is slightly

demented. "Jimmy" was arrested at the instance of the quiet residents of Swansea, a suburb of Believille, who claim that he called on of Belleville, who claim that he called on their wives after the men had gone to work. "Jimmy" did not seem to have any special mission at the places he called, but just wanted to be sociable. He was very much averse to work, but was always ready and willing to eat. When arrested he refused to give his name. He told the police: "You have me now, and that is enough for you. There is no use telling you my name. It wouldn't do either of us any good. You may call me "James, the Unknown," or "Mysterious Jimmy." just as you like; but I will not tell my name. I have a brother in Chicago who is an Alderman and well fixed. He would get me out of this in a minute if I would let him know, but I guess I will take my medicine." It was decided not to bring the mysterious prisoner to trial for several days, as it was thought he would weaken and reveal his identity or telegraph to his brother in Chicago, but as he has not evinced any great desire to do either he will be arraigned before Magistrate Carson fo-day. "Jimmy" is a most cheerful prisener. He keeps the other prisoners in an uproar all day with his comical monologues and songs. their wives after the men had gone to

TO INVESTIGATE WISLIZENUS. Charles P. Kelly, Frank Tate and Committee of Delegates Named-Judge Is Not Worried.

Delegate Robertson last night created some commotion in the House of Delegates by interrupting the regular order of busiees and demanding of Speaker Murrell

that he immediately appoint the commit-tes of five to investigate into the "actions and proceedings" of Judge Adolph Wislize-nus in the Dayton Street Poince Court. Speaker Murrell several times admonished Robertson that he was out of order. Before adjournment Speaker Murrell named Messrs J. K. Murrell, Heims, Made-ra, Robertson and Decker as the committee, Mr. Burke arose and suggested that "Mr. Schumacher, the workingman's friend, he made a member." made a member."

"I'm too busy," Schumacher replied, "I've got to sell my farm and get ready for 1903."

Judge Wislizenus states that the move-ment to investigate his conduct will not hurt him in the opinion of those who know him and believe in an impartial and fear-less execution of the law. He thinks the reason that the resolution to investigate him was passed was because he has re-fused to allow city officials to go on bonds in his court.

TO ABOLISH THE PILLORY.

Bill Comes Up in Delaware Legis lature To-Day and May Pass.

Dover, Del., Jan. 29 .- The bill abolishing the whipping post and pillory was passed by the Senate to-day by a vote of Il to 6.

after a hard fight.
Chief Justice Charles B. Lore, at a public Chief Justice Charles B. Lore, at a public meeting recently, declared that the pillory was a relic of barbarity and should be abolished, as it did no good toward preventing and punishing crime, and it was a degrading spectacle to see men manacled in public. He also used his influence with the other Judges of the State, and a majority of them urged its abolition. The bill is expected to come before the House of Representatives to-morrow, and there is every reason to believe that it will be passed by that body.

KEPT THEIR WEDDING QUIET. Mrs. Henderson of St. Louis Married to Illinois Banker.

It has transpired that George W. Ams den of Litchfield, Ill., a retired banker and apitalist, was united in marriage at Toledo, O., on Tuesday, January I, to Mrs. ledo, O., on Tuenday, January I, to Mrs.

E. S. Henderson of St. Louis, formerly of
Litchfield.

Mr. Amsden returned to Litchfield and
his wife to her home in St. Louis. Not
even the bridegroom's nearest friends knew
of the affair until Monday night, when he
came to St. Louis for his bride. Mr. and
Mrs. Amsden have gone to Florida.

DADY CONTROVERSY SETTLED. Havana Pays the Contractor's Claim of \$250,000.

Havana, Jan. 29.-The long-standing conroversy between Michael J. Dady, the contractor, and the military and municipal governments regarding the sewering and paving contract, was settled this evening by the payment to Mr. Dady of £55.006. Mr. Dady gave a bond of similar amount that he was authorized on behalf of the Dady company to make the settlement and release all claims.

KRUGER'S EYESIGHT RESTORED. His Ailment Entirely Cured by the

Recent Operation. Berlin, Jan. 29.-A dispatch to the Lokal Arzeiger from The Hague suys Mr. Kruger's aliment consisted of a muzcular con-traction of the eyelid, which the recent slight operation has entirely cured.

The dispatch adds that, according to reliable information, the Boers do not intend at present to take diplomatic steps, but will continue fighting until the general situation in South Africa is strong enough to make the success of diplomatic steps certain.

MORE DUE THAN THE

Court of Appeals Holds That a Husband Owes His Wife Additional Consideration.

Mrs. Lynch Testified That Mr. Lynch Ate Only Three Meals With Her in Eleven Months -Other Opinions.

The Court of Appeals decided yesterday

in the divorce case of Mary E. Lynch against John C. Lynch of Phelps County that the payment by the defendant of his wife's board was not the limit of considcration which she was entitled to from him, and that she might lawfully claim civil treatment and kindness, too. She alleged in the proceeding, which resulted in her being granted a divorce, that her husband ate only three meals with her during their married life, which extended from June, 1893, until May, 1899, although they boarded at the same place; that almost from the first he occupied a separate room at the hotel, and only came into her

that in October following their marriage he practically ceased visiting her at all-He appealed from the decision granting her a divorce, but the Appellate Court of rmed the granting of the decree.
Two Prosecutions for One Offense. In the case of the State of Missour against James Muir, an appeal from Au-

room for a moment or two occasionally

drain County, which was ordered trans-ferred to the Supreme Court, one of the Appellate Judges dissenting from the view of his colleagues, it was decided that a conviction under an ordinance is not a bar to a prosecution for the same offense under

to a prosecution for the same offense under a Stats law.
Judge Bland, who wrote the opinion in the case, states that it was agreed that Muir was fined by a Police Judge at Mexico on a charge of gambling by playing poker, and that he was also indicted by the Grand Jury and fined for the same offense. Muir set up in the second prosecution the plea of fils former conviction and appealed from the ruling of the court in fining him a the ruling of the court in fining him

second time.

Judge Bland and one of his colleagues Judge Bland and one of his colleagues held that the second conviction was proper. The third Judge is of the opinion that the tuling of his colleagues is in conflict with a previous decision, necessitating the sending of the case to the Supreme Court.

The Appellale Court held, in the case of the State of Missouri against T. S. Manning of Audrain County, that the proof of a former conviction of an offense could not be used against the defendant for the purpose of discrediting him as a witness. Manning, a physician, the record shows was fined on a charge of violating the law by issuing a prescription to enable a person to obtain intoxicating liquors; that he was asked on the witness stand in the trial of his case if he had not been convicted of issuing an unlawful prescription for intoxicating liquors and that he answered in the affirmative, after the objection of his lawyer to the question had been overruled. The Appeliale Court reversed the decision of the lower court and remanded the case for a new trial.

Copy of Indictment Legal.

The Appellate Court decided in the case of the State of Missouri against T. K. Paul of Webster County that a court has the right to accept a copy of an indictment when the original has been lost or stolen. The record in the case shows that Paul was indicted on a charge of violating the law in respect to the sale of intoxicating liquors; that the indictment, with twentynine other similar ones, was stolen from the Clerk's desk; that a copy was made of the findictment against Paul and that Paul was fined. He appealed, but the Appeliate Court affirmed the fine.

Additional Decisions.

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Others decisions were:
Susan E. Houston, admr., app., vs. John
A. Thompson, admr., resp.; St. Charles County;
reversed and remanded with directions.
Thomas King, resp., vs. T. J. Jones, app.;
Phelps County; appeal dismissed.
R. J. Muir. app., vs. J. D. Orear, resp.; Audrain County; affirmed.
The Huber Manufacturing Company app., vs.
L. M. Hunter et al., etc., resps.; Knex County;
reversed and remanded.
J. J. Bick, app., vs. Howard S. Maddox, resp.;
Rulls County; affirmed.
William R. Watts et al., resps., vs. Fire Association of Philadelphia, Pa., app.; Howell County;
reversed and remanded with directions.
David E. Shoun, resp., vs. W. D. Mills, app.;
city; appeal dismissed.
State of Missouri resp., vs. T. K. Paul, app.;
Wobster County; affirmed.
Lewistown Savings Bank, app., vs. G. B. Lawson et al., resps.; Lewis County; reversed and remanded.
George W. McCov, app., vs. Connecticut Fire Additional Decisions. emanded. George W. McCoy, app., vs. Connecticut Fire neurance Comeany, resp.; Lincoln County; afrepresent Commany, resp., Lincoln County, af-mondo.

State of Missouri, resp., vs. James Teel, app.; shannon County, with of error dismissed.

State, ex rel., George Ashton, app., vs. Adam toth Grocer Company, resp., Pike County, af-irmed for failure to prosecute appeal.

Johanna Edisson, resp., vs. William R. Kelly, pp.; city; affirmed for failure to prosecute ap-eal.

WORE HUSBAND'S CLOTHES. Mrs. Pfeffer Was Arrested and

Taken to Police Court. Clad in a dark coat and trousers, a light gray hat and light brown overcoat belonging to her husband. Mrs. Carrie Pfeffer of No. 2030 Eugenia street sauntered out for

ing to her husband. Airs. Carrie Pfener of No. 200 Eugenia street sauntered out for a lark Monday night with Eugene Warner, whom Mr. and Mrs. Pfener have known for many years.

The pair started out to find a lunchroom, and went as far as Union Station before they found what they wanted. They were just about to enter the place when a policeman arrested the young aoman. She appeared in the Police Court yesterday morning to answer to the charge of appearing on the streets in male attire.

Mrs. Pfener told Judge Sidener that she went out dressed in her husband's ciothes because he had told her that she did not have nerve chough to do anything of the kind, and had dared her to do 't. "Our frietd, Mr. Warner," she said, "occupies a room next to ours, and as he was awake my ht. shand asked him to go out with me. Near Union Station some one noticed that I was not a man, and he called a policeman's attention to me, and I was arrested."

Judge Sidener fined Mrs. Pfener 10, and then stayed the fine on good behavior.

HOSPITAL BUILDING PLANS. Board of Public Improvements to Consider Them To-Day.

The plans for the foundations for the group of new City Hospital bull-lings were received yesterday by the Board of Public Improvements and referred to the President's committee. This committee will prebably meet the morning to consider and approve the plars. It is the solect of Commissioner of Public Buildings Longfellow to begin building on or about rebriary la. The board, therefore, will advertise for proposals, and the contract will be submitted to the City Coulail for approval.

The contract for lighting Carondelet Park and the southwestern pirtion of the city will be given to the Weisbach Street Lighting Company. The cost per lamp will be \$11 per 1,000 hours. Improvements and referred to the Presi-

LIVES ENDANGERED BY FIRE. Early Morning Blaze in Peter

Beckman's Bakery.

The lives of several persons were endangered by fire at 4 o'clock yesterday morn-ing when the bakery or Peter Beckman, No. 4145 Manchester avenue, was destroyed

by fire.

Beckman was seriously burned. He was in the bakery preparing some doughnuts. A cauloron of not lard was on the stove, and it caught fire. Beckman attempted to carry the burning grease out of the room, when he dropped it and it splashed about his body.

William A. Schroeder, manager of the Rock Springs Turner Hall, resides above the bakery with his wife and six children. They were sleeping soundly when the fire-men battered down the door of their dwell-ing and rescued them. The loss to the building was \$1,000 and to the stock \$800.

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In the City.

DECREASE OF CAPITAL—The St. Louis and Mississippi Valley Transportation Company yesterday filed notice of decrease of capital stock from \$50,000 to \$100,000. Assets, \$661,519; Habilities, \$34,985.59.

VERDICT OF HOMICIDE-The vedict of the Coroner's inquest over the shooting of Edward Regan by John McAuliffe, several days ago, was that the shooting was un-justifiable homicide. McAuliffe was held for Trial.

MR. BOGGIANO EXPLAINS—Stephen J. Boggiano of No. 1801 Washington avenue, states that he is not in any way connected with the saloon at Fourteenth and Pine streets, where Charles A. McIntire was injured in a fight Monday night.

YOUTH HAD BRONZE STATUE—Albert Summers, 18 years old, was arrested yester-day aftermoon in Robert Gliaspie's Junk store, No. 429 South Sixth street, on sus-picion of having stolen a bronze statue, which he was trying to sell. He is held at the Central District Police Station. NORTH END ENTERTAINMENT—The North St. Louis Business Men's Association will give an entertainment and dance to-morrow evening at the North St. Louis Turaverein Hall. The entertainment is exclusively for the members and their families, as no tickets for admission have been sold. A very interesting musical and literary programme has been arranged.

ANNA C. VEHLE'S WILL-Anna C. Vahle, by her will, filed for probate yesterday, made her son-in-law, Edward Ellerbrock, executor of her will without bond. She devised \$300 to be used for her funeral and fencing her burial lot in St. Peter's Cemetery. The rest of her personal estate is left to her daughter, Anna Vahle. Her real estate is left in equal portions to her children, John Vahle, Fredericka Ellerbrock, Anna Vahle and Gustav Vahle.

Y. M. H. A. MINSTRELS—A minstrel and vaudeville entertainment will be given at the Young Men's Hebrew Association, No. 2757 Locust street, this (Wednesday) evening. The affair will be under the supervision of Messrs. Leo A. Landau, Lou Brunswick, Walter Seaman and Ed Davidson. Messrs. Landau, Brunswick, Seaman and Davidson will be the ends; Julius G. Schwarz, interlocutor, and Messrs. William A. Goldberg, Frank, Paul and A. Goldberg, soloitis.

OLDEST HOSPITAL PATIENT DEAD-Henry Swope, who has been a patient at the City Hospital since June, 1896, died of consumption yesterday at the institution. Swope, so far as present attaches of the hospital can remember, holds the record for the longest stay at the institution is a patient. He was in the hospital 1,890 days and went out but three times during his entire stay, and then for not more than three hours each time. Swope lived on Gratiot street and was a stone mason. He has relatives in Allegheny, Fa.

SUIT OVER LOST NOTE—Minnie Mulroy began suit yesterday against Annie
N. Steel and her husband. Samuel A.
Steel, John M. Wilson and Henry H. Rose
to foreclose a deed of trust, securing a
note, alleged to be lost or stolen. The note,
it is stated, was for \$500, and was secured
by a deed of trust on property fronting
27 feet on the south line of Lafayette avenue at Ohio avenue. The note and deed of
trust were executed by Annie N. Steel and
her husband in favor of Wilson, who borrowed \$500 from the plaintiff, giving the
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RETAIL GROCERS' MEETING—The Association of Retail Grocers of St. Louis met last night at No. 1305 Olive street. The department-store bill now in the hands of State Senator Ferriss to be presented for consideration to the State Senate was discursed. The bill as it stands was indorsed so far as it affects not increasing the license of department stores. It was suggested that a porviso be inserted by which department stores, if they introduced a line of groceries be compelled to pay 1500 per annum. The recent movement to have dealers place a seal upon all packages of crackers sold by them was also brought up. A member of the committee named to investigate the matter reported that the Manewal-Lange company had promized to adopt such a seal.

METAL TRADES WORKERS—A mass meeting of the metal trades workers has been called for this evening at Metal Trades Hall, No. 1830 Franklin avenue, to continue the work of affiliation begun at the mass meeting two weeks ago at the West End Collscum. The metal workers have a strike on at the Wrought Iron Range Company, and this matter is scheduled to come up for discussion. It is the object of the metal trades to so perfect their organization as to have under the control of their leaders a labor trust comprising all the skilled labor in their department of industrial activity. The preparations going forward just now look to the demand for a nine-hour day all over the country May 20. The speakers tonight will be John Murtaugh, who will represent Local No. 25 of the Iron Molders, William Rebbing of the International Machinists. Fred W. Burbach of the Brass Workers, Richard Steele of the Core Workers, C. T. Forgrave of the Stove Maldase

Beerest escape escape estate and John P. O'Connor of the Stove Mount ers and Range Workers.

IN THE COUNTY.

-Marriage licenses were issued at Clayeton yesterday to Julius Kropp and Annis Burkert of Altheim, and to M. J. Rahbaum and Lee Jacob. The first couple were married by Judge Wurdeman, and the second started for the office of Justice Greensfelder, but changed their minds when they found that the ceremony might become public if performed at that place.

INSTALLED IN NEW CHARGE.

The Rev. F. G. Tyrrell Formally Received at Mount Cabanne.

Special installation services were held last night at Mount Cabanne Christian Church in honor of Reverend Frank G. Tyrrell, paster-elect, who succeeds the Reverend D. R. tor-elect, who succeeds the Reverend D. R. Dungan. The services included a charge to the new pastor by the Reverend James Mc-Allister, and a response by Mr. Tyrrell. The open-ing selection of last night's service was an organ prelude by Miss Mabel Lange, followed by the doxology and an invocation by Mr. McAllister. After a hymn the scripture leason was conducted by the Reverend S. B. Moore, pastor of Compton Heights Christian Church. His address was followed by a vecal solo by Mrs. Ella Duval.

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A responsive service was then read by the Reverend O. A. Bartholomew, paster of West End Christian Church, and was followed by a hymn by the choir and congregation. A prayer by the Reverend W. A. Moore, paster of the Beulah Church, followed.

The anthem, "How Beautiful Upon the Mountains," was renedered by the church PENSIONER FOUND DEAD—John Borm 66 years old, a member of the G. A. R. and a pensioner, was found dead in his room at 7 o'clock yesterday morning by his landlady. Mrs. Christina Gross, at No. 2011 North Ninth street. On January 20 grant the corner of Broadway and North Market street. It is supposed that he died from the effects of his injury.

FUNERAL OF MAJOR GUTHRIE—The funeral of Major Orlando F. Guthrie of No. 2848 Ann avenue, who died Monday night at St. Mary's Infirmary, will be held to-day at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The Reverend J. C. Glven of Lexington, Mo., who was Chaplain of the Sixth Missouri Volunters, in which body Mr. Guthrie served as Major, will conduct the services. The burial will take place at Jefferson Barracks.

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140 Help Wanted Ads Printed in to-day's Republic ENGINEERS PROTEST.

Oppose Measure to Give State Board Supervision of Licenses. A mass meeting of St. Louis stationary engineers was held at Northwestern Hall ast night to protest formally against the passage of House Bill No. 33, which has passage of Heuse Bill No. St. which has already passed its second reading in the Missouri Legislature. The bill was introduced by Representative Hendrick, and provides that engineers' licenses shall be awarded by a board appointed by the Governor, and not as at present, by municipal boards appointed by the Mayor of each city. About 250 engineers were present. The meting was called by Local No. 44 of the International Union of Stationary Engineers. Wright M. Powell, chief engineer of the brotherhood, was in the chair. The action of the local in sending to Jefferson City a committee of eight to oppose the bill's passage was indorsed.

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